

# The Parish Family of Immaculate Conception

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**Welcome to our home**, where for over 115 years, we have been sharing in the life of our community by creating a sacred space where the human heart can experience life.

**We invite you** to join us in creating our parish.

**We are a multi-cultural community** with diverse experiences from all over the world celebrating as a Christian family at Immaculate Conception.

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### **“Do This In Memory Of Me”**

*We gather to give thanks and remember daily*

### **Our Eucharist Celebration:**

**Saturday In Anticipation:** 5:30 p.m.  
**Sunday**.....7:30 a.m., 9:00 am (Spanish)  
10:30 a.m., 12 :00 p.m., 5:00 p.m.

**Weekdays:** 7 a.m., 12:05 p.m.

**Saturday:** 8:00 a.m.

#### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

**Saturday:** 4 – 5:00 p.m. and by appointment

**Holy days** as announced

### **Our Communal Devotions and Schedules**

**Novena to St. Jude and Anointing of the Sick**  
First Tues. of the month after 12:05 p.m. Mass

**Our Mother of Perpetual Help And St. Joseph**  
Wed. 6:00 p.m.

**St. Jude, St. Terese of Lisieux, and St. Anthony**  
Thursday 5:30 p.m.

**First Friday of the month 11:00a.m. & 7pm - Holy Hour**

**Bereavement Ministry - Every Tuesday - NDH - 7 p.m.**



**Sunday, May 12th - The Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord**

7:30 am - Jack Ryan  
9:00 am - People of the Parish - Spanish  
10:30 am - Cheryl Matzs  
12:00 pm - William J. Callahan  
5:00 pm - Marie Mason

**Monday, May 13th - Our Lady of Fatima**

7:00 am - Sister Kathleen Fitzgerald  
12:00 pm - Vito DeSantis

**Tuesday, May 14th - St. Matthias**

7:00 am - Deborah DeRosa (living)  
12:05 pm - Fr. Jeremiah Long

**Wednesday, May 15th - St. Isidore**

7:00 am - Merrick Tortora  
12:05 pm - Lillian E. Sacarello Velilla

**Thursday, May 16th - Easter Weekday**

7:00 am - Anne Gallo  
12:05 pm - Silvano & Margherita Geleich

**Friday, May 17th - Easter Weekday**

7:00 am - Steve Jeffas  
12:05 pm - Dona Griffin

**Saturday, May 18th - St. John I, Pope**

8:00 am - John Suttera  
4:00 pm - Confession  
5:30 pm - Keith Sharpe

**Sunday, May 19th - Pentecost Sunday**

7:30 am - Mateo & Concetta Camarano  
9:00 am - People of the Parish - Spanish Mass  
10:30 am - Joseph Segro  
12:00 pm - Susan Amato  
5:00 pm - Jean Berry

**Weekly Collection**



The Collection for Sunday 4/28 was \$6770. The Parish Giving for 5/8 was \$ 1571.30. Thank you for your continued support to our parish.

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**Sunday** Acts 1:1-11/Ephesians 1:17-23 or 4:1-13 or 4:1-7, 11-13/Mark16:15-20

**Monday** Acts 19:1-8/ John 16:29-33

**Tuesday** Acts 1:15-17, 20-26/ John 15:9-17

**Wednesday** Acts 20:28-38/John 17:11b-19

**Thursday** Acts 22:30; 23:6-11/ John 17:20-26

**Friday** Acts 25:13b-21/ John 21:15-19

**Saturday** Acts 28:16-20, 30-31/John 21:20-25

**Sunday Vigil** Genesis 11:1-9 or Exodus 19:3-8a, 16-20b or Ezekiel 37:1-14 or Joel 3:1-5/Romans 8:22-27/ John 7:37-39

**Day** Acts 2:1-11/ 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13/ John 20:19-23 or 15:26-27; 16:12-15

**Reflections for Sunday's Readings**

**Reading I: Acts 1: 15-17, 20a, 20c-26**

The Apostles elect Matthias to replace Judas, who had "turned away to go to his own place." Thus, the sacred number of 12 is once again denoting those who had witnessed the resurrection.

**Reading II: 1 John 4: 11-16**

"We must love one another" because God remains in each of us.

**The Gospel: John 17: 11b-19**

Jesus offers His high priestly prayer after the Last Supper in which He not only asks His Father to protect His Eleven, but also has in mind Judas who is about to betray Him.



We pray for those in our parish who are sick, the homebound, patients in Hudson Regional and Meadowview Hospital, Hudson Manor and the Fountain at the Manor

**Memorials**

The **Altar Bread** is in memory of Marie Newell

The **Sanctuary Lamp** is in memory of Marie Newell





The Activities & Events Committee wishes to extend our sincere thanks for the success of the Spring Tricky Tray.

Thank you to our volunteers for all their help in preparing the bows, wrapping the gifts, serving coffee/tea, cake, and water and performing all asked of them.

To our Youth Ministry and Confirmation Candidates, your hard work is very much appreciated. A big thank you to our Mayor and Town Council for their generosity and support.

Most of all we want to Thank You for your support. We hope you had a great time.

Members of the Activities & Events Committee:

Kathy Bliss, Don Caputo, Sylvia DeHombre, Marie Eck, Mickey Halpin, Paulette Halpin, Gary Jeffas, Jean Jeffas, and yours truly, Fran Bialkowski



**Reflection.....**

Miss no single opportunity of making some small sacrifice, here by a smiling look, there by a kindly word; always doing the smallest right and doing it all for love....

St. Therese of Lisieux

**Parish Mission Statement:**

We as the Catholic Christian Community of Immaculate Conception, Secaucus, in the Archdiocese of Newark, proclaim to be a Eucharistic Community, guided by the Spirit to proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ, as we journey by sacraments and service through love and compassion, to evangelize, to celebrate our diversity and to meet the challenge of our responsibility as disciples of the Lord Jesus



**ICC Bereavement Ministry**



Have you lost a loved one or know of someone who may be seeking bereavement support?

We invite you to join us in a safe, supportive, caring and confidential environment to assist in your journey towards healing. We meet every Tuesday at 7:00 PM.

Immaculate Conception Church - Notre Dame Hall - 1219 Paterson Plank Road, Secaucus, NJ 07094

Please call the ICC Parish Office (201-863-4840) if you would like to attend. All are welcome!!

Joe Andreula (Facilitator)





IMMACULATE CONCEPTION  
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**CELEBRATION OF  
FLORES DE MAYO**

The Parish Family of Immaculate Conception will come together in praying Rosary on Sundays:

May 5  
May 12  
May 19

Prayers start at 4:15 PM followed by the 5 PM Sunday Mass. Please bring cut flowers for offering to the Blessed Virgin Mary during mass. Families, individuals, and organizations are invited to participate in this parish event.

On Sunday, May 26, the Marian Devotion will be highlighted with a procession while reciting the Rosary around the Church block AFTER the 5 PM Mass.

Potluck fellowship to follow on May 26 in the cafeteria after the procession.

For more information, please contact:  
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